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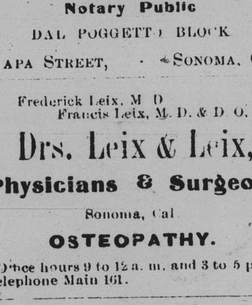

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STATUE NO. 10.

By RUTH TEVIS.

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They have shut me up on the ground that I am insane. I am not the first person with a perfectly balanced reason who has been mistaken for a lunatic. I confess I am wildly in love. If that be lunacy, why not confine all lovers? But they say that I am in love with a phantom. Be she human or be she immortal, I love her with all my heart, all my brain, all my soul.

I first saw her (or her likeness) in Naples. Strolling through the museum there, passing long lines of statues, I came upon a bust of a woman. The drapery was the simple Roman dress without a single ornament. But the hair was arranged elaborately. Over the forehead I counted three continuous arched rolls, then an equal space of broken ones, surmounted by one long roll, the whole forming a sort of frontal diadem. The back hair was arranged in braids to form a massive chignon.

From out the face, marble though it was, a real woman gazed at me. From the moment I looked at her I felt that she was individual—one among thousands, one born to occupy an exalted position. I wondered who she was. Beneath most of the statues in the museum were brief statements of what they represented, but under this was simply pasted a bit of paper bearing in ink the number 10. I did not find it in my catalogue, nor did I succeed in learning anything of it from the guides.

I was leaving Naples for Rome the same day and before going bought a photograph of 10. Whatever of imperfection there was in the bust was not apparent in the picture, rendering the effect more pleasing—indeed, more beautiful, for by this time a beauty I did not at first perceive had grown upon me wonderfully. In Rome I put the photograph on my mantel, and before long it held my constant gaze.

A month passed. My photograph had become my idol. Day after day the beautiful, highborn face on which was stamped the soul of one used to command looked at me till it became a reality. At times it seemed as if she would speak to me. Yet I dreaded that she should lest she address me as a slave. At last, frightened at the uncontrollable longing that was taking possession of me, I locked my photograph in my trunk. An hour later I took it out and placed it again on my mantel.

One night, not being able to sleep from desire to gaze on the face of my empress, as I spoke of her to myself, I got out of bed, lighted the gas and gave myself up to the spell till at last, feeling that I must tear myself away from her, I dressed and went out to the street. At the end of a broad avenue I descended a flight of steps and stood against the rail about Trajan's forum. It was past midnight, and, seeing no one, I climbed down into the lower level and walked toward the column set up by Trajan in commemoration of his victories.

Some one was sitting on a fragment at its base. I was about to turn away when I saw it was a woman. Curious to know who could be there so late at night, I approached. As I did so she raised her face, and by the street lights above I saw that she was—my empress.

Instinctively I knelt before her.

"They have desecrated this column," she said. "They have replaced the statue of the emperor by that of a low born fisherman called Petrus, one of the ignominious sect of Christians who deny the immortal gods and would place in their stead a Jew who was crucified when Tiberius reigned. If you love me take down this Petrus. You cannot put back the emperor's statue, for they have destroyed it, but you can rid Rome of the sight of this man who has been set up in place of Charon and his ferry on the Styx. Do this and you shall be honored by the love of Platina."

That I might win the love of my empress brought a delight more fierce than I could endure. For a time I must have lost consciousness, for in the morning I was knocking at the door of the porter at my apartments, and he asked me as I passed in if I were ill.

They tell me that the next night I was found by the police vainly endeavoring to throw a looped rope over the statue of St. Peter on Trajan's column from a neighboring building. I was arrested and turned over to my friends as a crazy American. They have shut me up in this place and will not let me out. I begged them to give me the picture of my empress or I would really go mad. The physician in charge here for a time forbade my having it, but at last, after I had tried to kill myself, he consented, and since then I have borne my imprisonment more resignedly.

I was told lately that they consider me in a way to recover, for they will not be convinced of my sanity. They tell me that I am crazed through love of a woman who has been dead eighteen centuries; that my empress was Platina, wife of Trajan, emperor of Rome during the first century; that she lived in the palace of the Caesars, served by 1,500 attendants—ladies, gentlemen, freedmen, slaves; that I should see all this in her imperial features and not aspire even if she lived today to one so exalted.

This may be true, but I doubt not that had I been permitted to pull down Peter's statue I should possess her either here or hereafter.

THE CABBAGE CURE.

Old Ezekiel Had Long Been Wanting a Boiled Dish.

"This idea that people thrive best on the food they like best is not as modern as you seem to think," said the old doctor to the young doctor. "When Ezekiel Holmes was something over 100 years old he was taken sick, and my grandfather, one of the best physicians in that section, was called in to see him after the family had done their worst to make him better.

"Grandfather pronounced Mr. Holmes very ill and told the family that the end was probably near—he might not live out the night. As soon as this news spread through the neighborhood several friends called to sit up or watch with the sufferer. Among them was a sea captain, who took the second watch.

"A little after midnight Mr. Holmes awoke and said the doctor was starving him. The captain asked what he would like to eat.

"'Corned beef and cabbage,' replied the old man.

"The captain found some in the pantry—it was a staple dish in those days—and gave him a generous plateful, reasoning, as he said afterward, that so long as the old man's hours were numbered he might as well have what he wanted while he lasted. After eating heartily Mr. Holmes said he felt much better and went quietly to sleep. The next morning, when grandfather called, he found his patient on the road to recovery. The old man not only got well, but kept so for four or five years afterward, and he always stoutly declared that his midnight meal had cured him.

"'I'd been wanting a boiled dish a fortnight,' he used to say, 'and mother wouldn't let me have it. But I worked a traverse on her and got well.'"—Youth's Companion.

"MATUSHKA VOLGA."

Melody of Sorrow Heard In Prison and Palace In Russia.

There is an air so popular in Russia that it is even more familiar than their national anthem to the people of that great, mysterious empire. I have heard it in all parts of the czar's dominions from the Baltic sea to Bering strait and from Archangel to the Caspian, in the glittering palaces of Petersburg and in foul prison dens of Siberia.

It is a simple melody in the minor key, suggestive, like most Slav music, of sorrow and unrest, and it is called "Matushka (or Mother) Volga," as for some cryptic reason every Russian, be he noble or nihilist, is taught from childhood to regard this great river in the light of a maternal relative. Yet the river is full of sad associations, for convicts formerly traveled a portion of the journey to Siberia along its broad, sluggish stream.

I can never forget the haunting sweetness of "Matushka Volga" as I heard it sung on a prison barge one quiet summer evening by a party of fettered politicals banished to the great lone land of exile, for "Mother Volga" was their last link with home and the loved ones they might never meet again.

Fortunately the condemned are now sent into Asia by the Transsiberian railway, and the unhappy exile is spared at least one bitter parting—that from his well beloved "Mother Volga."—Travel Magazine.

A Curious Tree.

One of the natural curiosities of south Mashonaland is a "German sausage tree." It bears deep crimson flowers, three inches long, in blazing bunches of twelve, but when the tree fruits into fat, substantial, sausage-like pods there remain no leaves, and it looks like a sausage larder indeed. These beans are twenty inches long and twelve inches in girth and are beloved of the native tribe of Shangaans and baboons. But the tribe of the Karenga are a very superior people and would never deign to eat them. There can be no reason for this, as at least no one can accuse these "sausages" of being connected in any way with dogs or cats.—Natal Witness.

May Cure Snoring Too.

"I've found a cure for nightmare," said the man who will eat despite his subsequent sufferings. "When I go to bed at night I slip a string through an empty spool, secure the spool firmly so it will not slide and then tie the string around my waist in such a way that the spool comes in the middle of my back. The result is that if I try to turn on my back in my sleep I lie on the spool, and I can assure you it awakens me promptly. No; it isn't pleasant to be wakened in that way, but it is better than having to go through one of the diabolical nightmares from which I have suffered for several years."—New York Press.

Must Keep It Dry.

The teacher had explained to a primary class the difference between solids and liquids and illustrated her points by objects kept on a table. When she thought her pupils had grasped the idea she held up her watch and asked, "Now, children, must I put this among the solids or among the liquids?" "Among the solids, teacher," a bright little boy replied. "Why not among the liquids?" she asked. "Because," replied the little fellow—"because if you do you will get it wet."

All About Her.

Winkle—See that little woman in black over there? I'll bet there are more men crazy about that woman than any woman in town. Hinkle—What makes you think so? Winkle—Well, she's the matron out at the insane asylum.

Without a friend the world is a wilderness.—Hebrew Proverb.

TWO CLEVER ROGUES

By F. A. MITCHEL.

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One morning a gentleman drove up to a New York hotel in a cab, a trunk plastered all over with foreign labels was carried in, and the gentleman following wrote his name on the register, "Edward Cheltenham, Sheffield, England."

"Had a pleasant voyage?" asked the clerk urbanely.

"Very. Regular mill pond trip."

"Front! Show the gentleman to 56."

Mr. Cheltenham dined heartily, went to bed, arose betimes the next morning, breakfasted and strolled out of the hotel and down the street.

"What building is this?" he asked of one who was passing before an enormous structure.

"Criminal court."

Mr. Cheltenham stood with a hesitating look on his face for a few moments, then entered and took a seat in the courtroom. Several minor cases were disposed of when the case of Stephen Dale was called. Dale was charged with burglary. He had not been caught in the act, but running away from the bank at the time the robbery was committed and within a few hundred feet of the bank door. The hour of the arrest was midnight, and there was at the time no other person in the immediate neighborhood, so naturally the evidence against him, though circumstantial, was strong. Indeed, the judge appeared impatient to dispose of the case, which could only be expected to result in a conviction. It was about to be submitted to the jury when the prisoner, catching sight of Mr. Cheltenham, seemed transported with astonishment and relief.

"Your honor," he exclaimed, "there is a man who can prove what I have claimed—that when the robbery was committed I was not in this country."

"What man?"

"The gentleman in the gray suit, with sandy whiskers. I ask that he be called to the witness stand."

"What's your name?" asked the judge of the person designated.

"Edward Cheltenham."

"Take the stand."

"I protest against being drawn into this case, of which I know nothing," said Mr. Cheltenham, evidently annoyed. "I'm a British citizen just over from England on business and never saw that man before in my life."

"Take the stand," repeated the judge.

The Britisher obeyed, muttering something about the "blarsted country" and the rights of a British citizen.

"Your residence?" asked the judge.

"Sheffield, England."

"Occupation?"

"I am the traveling partner of a large cutlery manufactory."

Turning to the prisoner, the judge told him to state on what grounds he based his claim that the stranger could prove an alibi.

"The robbery was committed," said Dale, "on the 20th of June last. During that month I was a porter at Morley's hotel in Charing Cross, London. I carried the gentleman's luggage from his room down and out to a cab. I remember him especially because he gave me a very large tip—half a sovereign."

The judge asked the witness if he was in London and at Morley's at the time designated.

"I don't know," said Mr. Cheltenham. "I can't be expected to remember every place I visit. I travel eight months in the year. This man is an impostor and trying to use me."

"Do you keep any memoranda of places you visit?"

"Only an expense account."

"Have you your expense account covering that period with you?"

"I have my memorandum book of expenses at my hotel. I'll go and get it if you like, but I'm sure"—

"Take him to his hotel," said the judge to a constable, "get the book and bring him and the book back."

Mr. Cheltenham, bristling with British indignation, was conducted to his hotel, unlocked his trunk, took out the memorandum book, of which the constable took charge, and the party returned to the courtroom.

"Tell the jury," said the judge, "if you have any entry made at Morley's hotel, London, on or about June 20."

The witness, still indignant, fumbled over the leaves of the book and at last stopped apparently disconcerted. Then he said, "I do find an entry pertaining to the case on June 21 covering expenses at Morley's and"— He stopped, with a look of astonishment.

"And what?"

"To porter, tip—half a sovereign."

Never was there greater surprise a remarkable happening. Dale's vindication was complete. The judge gave a lecture on the care that should be taken in cases involving the liberty or life of the people, and the jury acquitted the accused without leaving their seats. Even Mr. Cheltenham was softened, though he declared that no such narrow escape of an innocent man could have occurred in England. The prisoner was released from custody, and Mr. Cheltenham was permitted to return to his hotel.

An hour later an officer of the court under pretext of carrying to Mr. Cheltenham his witness fee, but really to learn something of the Britisher, went to his hotel. Mr. Cheltenham immediately on his return from the courtroom had departed, bag and baggage. All the stations were telephoned to, and the same evening Cheltenham, alias Sparkles, alias Hunkey Jim, was arrested in company with Dale. The next day the two were summarily convicted of having robbed the — bank and hustled off to the penitentiary to serve out a twenty year sentence.

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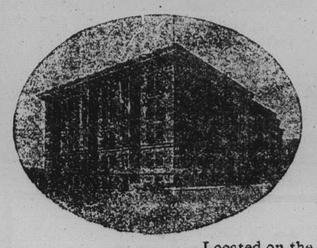

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H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

Can't Hurt Anything But May Do Some Good

The Santa Rosa Republican in commenting editorially upon quotations taken from the "Argonaut," in regard to the graft prosecution and re-published in the editorial columns of this paper, remarks: "It Can't Hurt Anything." Of course not, and by giving the excerpts in question publicity through these columns it was never intended that it should hurt anything. On the contrary, the article may do a world of good in causing the people of the interior of the State to realize as the people of San Francisco now realize that the graft prosecution is not what it ought to be. It is not often that the INDEX-TRIBUNE is in accord with the editorial utterances of the "Argonaut," but if it is any satisfaction to our Santa Rosa contemporary to know how we stand in this matter we make bold to assert that we are in sympathy, from a moral and commercial standpoint, with the position taken by the publication in question on the graft prosecution as it has been conducted the past year.

This prosecution, which at the outset received the moral support of all law-abiding citizens of the metropolis, has lost the respect of its substantial business men, who now see in it business rivalry, jealousy, hatred and politics.

From a business standpoint, the graft prosecution would rule or ruin, with the result that it has incurred the opposition of nine-tenths of the substantial citizens of the metropolis, who can now see in it nothing more nor less than a vendetta being maintained for private ends under the guise of reform for the purpose of deceiving a people who have passed through the vicissitudes of earthquake and fire and must now needs face the effects of a "graft prosecution" that has added still another disaster to the commercial interests of a long suffering community. So much for the would-be purifiers of San Francisco from a business standpoint.

Now, from a moral point of view, the graft prosecution has not done the right thing by the people. It has thrown the protecting wing of immunity around the self-confessed thieving and boodling Supervisors instead of prosecuting them and sending them to jail, and are using them as tools to testify against a few millionaires of San Francisco who are business rivals of other millionaires who have been disappointed in securing certain public franchises in that city.

The prosecution started in all right and in order to convict San Francisco's self-confessed boodling officials placed reputable men upon the witness stand to testify against them. It soon became apparent, however, that this was done to frighten the boodling Supervisors into accepting immunity to testify against prominent business and professionsl men of that city who had hitherto borne irreproachable characters. The result has been that we are now called upon to witness the disgusting spectacle in our courts of law of these self-confessed malefactors swearing to any old thing to save their own hides and whom no self-respecting, unbiased juror would believe under oath.

The graft prosecution is inconsistent and the people of the metropolis now realize this. That is one of the reasons why Mr. Heney has lost the confidence of so many people who were with him on the start.

There are some politics behind the movement, too, else why the adverse comment of the Republican.

Fell Off Wagon and Sprained Wrist.

Harold Carriger, while at work on the Sol Carriger farm south of town, fell off a farm wagon on Thursday afternoon last and striking against a tree sprained his right wrist. The young man drove into town and had the injury attended to at Leix's Sanitarium. The following day he was on deck with his right arm in a sling and driving a team with the left member.

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Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures	8,180 20
Other Real Estate Owned	11,507 47
Due from Reserve Banks	32,473 38
Cash on Hand	25 284 54
Total	

LIABILITIES—	
Capital Apportioned	$ 50,200 00
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Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	35,787 17
Dividends Unpaid	8 00
Due to other Banks	231 47
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Demand Certificates of Deposit	1,037 40
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Bills Payable, including Certificates of Deposit, representing money borrowed	10,000 00
Reserved for Taxes	3,089 10
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We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that we are partners transacting business in the State, in the County of Sonoma, near the Town of Sonoma, in Sonoma Valley, in the State of California, under the firm name of Arroyo Seco Poultry Company. That the names in full of all the members of such partnership are William Ladlee and Frank Matsuyama, that our places of residence and of each of us is near the Town of Sonoma, in Sonoma Valley, in Sonoma county, in the State of California.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, this 14th day of June, 1909.

WM. LADLEE.
FRANK MATSUYAMA.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Sonoma } ss

On this 15th day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine, before me, Robert A. Poppe, a Notary Public in and for the County of Sonoma, personally appeared William Ladlee and Frank Matsuyama, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in the County of Sonoma, the day and year in this certificate first above written. ROBERT A. POPPE
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

There is an epidemic of measels on Broadway.

The S. F. daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune $9 a year for both papers.

The City Trustees meet in regular monthly session next Wednesday evening.

The Watmaugh district school opened Monday with Miss Bertha McGimsey as teacher.

Paul Vannucchi's new club house at Verano will be thrown open ot the public this evening.

Now is the time to lay concrete sidewalks. See Trudgen, the stone mason, about it.

Stoves, Ranges, Window Shades for sale at Petaluma Furniture Co. 157 Kentucky St.

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Eph. Weiss, the expert refractionist and optician of San Francisco, will be in Sonoma at the Union Hotel, August 2nd.

The Sonoma City Water Works Company is laying a four-inch main on Second street East, to take the place of the old main.

The final account of the estate of the late Mariano Paivo has been filed in the Superior Court this week by Robt. A. Poppe, attorney for the estate.

Convent Schools will reopen on Monday, August 2nd. Request is made that all the pupils will be in prompt attendance to open the term successfully.

The sum of $14.80 was raised for the benefit of the Plaza Fund, being one-half of the net profits of ice-cream sales at Lutgens on Wednesday of last week.

Among the entertainers at the opening of Parente Bros. Verano Cafe next Thursday evening will be Harry Lehr, baritone, and Steve Rampone of New York.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given that I will sell all my interest in the hotel at Embarcadero, Sonoma County, California, to Ben Meyer and Frank Grossman, including the stock of goods therein, on Monday, August 9th, 1909, and the sale will be completed on that day at 12 o'clock, noon, at the law offices of H. P. Mathewson, Esq., Dal Poggetto Block, Sonoma City, California.

All persons having claims against me or said property are notified to present the same for settlement within five days from the first publication of this notice.

Dated Embarcadero, California, July 28th, 1909.

TONY HOPPE.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, } ss.
COUNTY OF SONOMA }

On this 28th day of July, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nine, before me Harley P. Mathewson, a Notary Public, in and for the County of Sonoma, personally appeared Tony Happe known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

(Seal) In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in the County of Sonoma, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

HARLEY P. MATHEWSON,
Notary Public in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California.

WALTER CORBALEY'S SUDDEN DEATH

Stroke of Apoplexy Removes From Our Midst Well-Known and Popular Railroad Conductor

Walter B. Corbaley, for many years conductor on the Sonoma branch of the Northwestern Pacific railroad, was stricken with apoplexy in Santa Rosa at an early hour Sunday morning and died almost immediately.

For some months the deceased, who left the employ of the railroad company last spring, has been living in Berkeley with his mother. Saturday evening he arrived in Santa Rosa and took part in the Odd Fellows festivities and shortly after midnight retired to his hotel with L. O. Allison of Kenwood, who occupied the same room with him.

Prior to retiring Mr. Corbaley told Mr. Allison that he was suffering from a terrible pain at the base of the brain. "It feels just like it did before I had that slight stroke last January," he said. Allison suggested that he call a doctor but Corbaley demurred, saying that he would soon feel better and that a night's sleep was all he wanted. They chatted after this and then both went to sleep. Several hours after retiring Mr. Allison was awakened by the heavy breathing of his room mate and discovered Mr. Corbaley in a dying condition. A doctor was summoned but before he reached the bedside of the unconscious man he was dead.

The remains were removed to Lafferty & Smith's undertaking parlors and on Monday funeral services were held in Masonic Temple, after which the body was shipped to San Francisco and cremated in the Odd Fellows Cemetery in accordance with the wish of deceased.

Mr. Corbaley was very prominent in fraternal circles, being an Odd Fellow, Mason and Forester.

Mr. Corbaley was a native of Indianapolis, Ind., where he was born in 1868. Most of his life was spent in this State and many years in railroading. He is survived by a son, Arthur, fourteen years old, and an aged mother and other relatives. He was a cousin of Mrs. W. J. Hunter, wife of Supt. Hunter of the Northwestern Pacific railroad.

More Railroad Talk

Richard M. Hotaling, the well-known capitalist, who is behind the recently incorporated California Railroad Company, which has been capitalized for $2,500,000 to construct a main line of railway from Richardson's Bay to Sacramento, is now planning to finance the project with British capital. To that end he has sent his representative, Wm. M. Rank, to London to confer with a number of English financiers.

The California Railroad Company, when its line is completed, will have a trifle more than 100 miles of main line, which will be run by way of San Rafael and through the counties of Sonoma, Napa, Solano and Yolo. The road will have two branches, one to Petaluma and another to Lakeport.

Hotaling admits that Rank has gone to London and that he told him "to keep his eye open in the world's metropolis." Beyond that he would not discuss Rank's mission. Hotaling has spent nearly $500,000 on surveys, rights of way and in acquiring a large tract of land on Richardson bay, opposite Sausalito, for a terminal. It is contemplated to run ferryboats to and from San Francisco.

Hops Still Advancing

The latest sale of hops reported in this county was made last Monday at 17½ cents. This is the highest price paid in a number of years.

Played With Matches and Set Fire to His Clothes

The little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seehuber, residing on their mountain ranch east of town, while playing with matches, one day last week, set fire to his clothes and before assistance arrived the little fellow was badly burned about the abdoman. Dr. Leix, who treated the burns, reports his patient as getting along nicely.

CALENDAR DAY IN SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Denny Presides in Both Departments and Disposes of a Number of Cases

Judge Denny called the calendar in both deparaments on Monday.

The petition to terminate the life estate of Rose King was granted.

The suit of John Williams vs. Lucy Williams was set for Sept. 23

A sale of realty of the estate of Ann Striening was granted in a bond of $3,000.

Chas. C. Heaton was named administrator on the estate of S. O. Heaton in a bond of $6,200.

Sophia Schlake was named executrix of the will of F. Schlake, without bonds.

Ellen Gaston and H. P. Bostick were named executors of the will of Andrew P. Gaver, without bonds.

F. L. Blackburn was named administrator on the estate of Carl L. Carlsen.

In the estate of the late John Mills the petition to sell personal property was continued to Aug. 9. The petition to set aside exempt property was granted, and a family allowance of $150 per month was made.

The final account was settled and distribution ordered of the estate of Jonathan Roberts.

These probate matters were continued: Estates of Flavien Berton, Losson Ross, Felice Moneco, A. H. Cook and M. Martinelli, to Aug. 2.

The further hearing of the suit of Crystal vs. Reed was set for Sept. 16.

The suit of White vs. White was transferred to Department One.

As per stipulation the order of sale of real estate made in the suit of the Santa Rosa Bank vs. Robt. Spear Brown was set aside,

These matters were continued: Gough vs. Carriger, to Sept. 7; Santa Rosa & Northern Railroad vs. Merriweather and Rosenberg, et al. to Sept. 27.

Fell Into Tub of Boiling Water

Ruth Morse, the five-year-old grand-daughter of Station Agent W. I. Robinson of Vineburg, while playing about the kitchen of the Robinson home, one day last week, slipped and fell into a tub of boiling water. Before she could be rescued the child was dreadfully scalded about the body and left arm. Dr. Leix was phoned for and soon reached the bedside of the little girl who was suffering excruciating pains from the scalds. Soothing lotions were applied and the patient was soon resting easy. At latest accounts the child was recovering rapidly.

The Country Editor Abroad

Ye editor was in receipt one day this week of two letters from abroad. One of these was from the management of a fashionable hotel in New York calling attention to its many advantages when we are visiting in that city. The other was from a well-known Eastern automobile firm recommending their high-priced $4000 machine as one just suitable for our use.

Verily, the country editor must be looked upon as a veritable nabob in the East these days.

Sprained an Ankle

Mrs. Norton of San Francisco, a guest at Forni's El Verano resort, met with a painful accident last Sunday morning. While in the act of hurriedly stepping out of the way of a passing bus, she fell and sprained an ankle. Dr. Leix, who is treating Mrs. Norton, reports his patient as doing well.

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SENSATIONAL ARREST AT EL VERANO

Deputy U. S. Marshals Take Two Men Into Custody on Serious Charge

Deputy United States Marshals Kiernan and Warner arrived in El Verano last Tuesday morning with a warrrnt in their possession for the arrest of two fugitives from San Francisco. The men wanted are Italia Reggiano and Pepino Pietra, and the officers were not long in hunting the men up and placing them under arrest.

The warrant was issued on complaint of the Reggiano woman's sister, who alleges that her unnatural relative wrote to her in Italy from New York asking her to come to the United States, as she had a husband for her. She agreed, money was sent for her passage, and she was met at the dock by Pietra, who took her to her sister.

She then learned how she had been duped. She alleges that Peitra and her sister forced her to enter a life of shame, to turn her earnings over to Pietra and to act as his consort. She also avers that she was beaten if she attempted to keep out any money for the purpose of escaping, and that she was finally brought to San Francisco and placed in a brothel, where the same tactics were pursued.

She finally made her escape, married a countryman named Montpellier, and by his advice placed the matter before Immigration Inspectors de la Torre and Robinson for investigation.

Reggiano and Pietra having become cognizant of the action U. S. authorities fled to El Verano, but the officers were hot on the trail of the fugitives and the arrest followed. They are now occupying cells in the Alameda County Jail to answer for their unnatural crime.

The preliminary examination of the accused, will be held before U. S. Commissioner Heacock in Oakland next Thursday. The following anonymous letter addressed to Antonio Montpellier, who married the Reggiano girl, will be used as evidence against the accused:

Mr. Antonio Montpellier—We are favoring Pitera, and we are around night and day to trace you and your lady, and it does not make any difference whether you have gone with Pietra's lady, who is today your legal wife. We are not afraid of this, and as until now we have not had the fortune to meet you, you are very lucky. But we inform you that our association is not sleeping but is awake You are very much mistaken if you think that we are afraid of the police of this city. We have made our oath and we shall never forget it when we meet you at the proper mement. We don't believe that you and your lady will be able to walk on the streets of San Francisco.

"With this hope that you will return the lady to our ally Pitera.

"We hope that this letter will give you a thorough understanding, or otherwise you will see your finish.

"The allied friends of Pietra.

"You know who I am.

"You have three days time or death."

Hotel at Embarcadero to Change Hands

Ben Meyer and Frank Grossman of San Francisco have purchased Tony Happe's resort at Embarcadero and will take possession on Monday, August 9th. The new owners are experienced hotel men and we bespeak for the Embarcadero resort, under their management, much success.

Forest Fire

A forest fire which burned fiercely Sunday and Monday in the mountains east of Kenwood threatened the destruction of much property but was finally subdued by volunteer fire fighters with slight damage to fencing and timber.

Grand Opening of Parente Bros. Cafe and Villa.

The Parente Bros. of Verano will have a grand opening of their Cafe and Villa next Thursday evening to which the general public is cordially invited to be present. The guests will be entertained by a number of high-class vocal and musical artists and there will be dancing on the finest maple floor in Sonoma Valley and other features.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Doings of the Various Sets in Both Town and Valley.

Mrs. Martha Stearns is visiting in Santa Cruz.

Rev. Father Leahy spent Friday last in Petaluma.

Miss Minnie Cooke is visiting relatives in Berkeley.

Mrs. A. D. Lowell is visiting in the Santa Cruz Mountains.

Miss Gertrude Breitenbach is visiting friends in Berkeley.

L. Mouyer of El Verano was in Santa Rosa last Saturday.

Albert Groskopf is confined to his home with a sprained foot.

Mrs. M. Ward of Melrose spent Sunday with Mrs. Geo. Brooks.

Mrs. F. Clewe and Miss Marie Clewe are spending the week at Inverness.

Geo. Bulotti spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Bulotti.

Miss Garfield of San Francisco is visiting at the home of Mrs. A. D. Lowell.

Miss Florence Bill was entertained Thursday by Mrs H. Weber and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gundlach were visitors in the metropolis Wednesday.

Mrs. W. Dobble and daughter visited relatives in San Francisco last Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Cook are here from the East visiting at the Henry Watters home.

L. Chase came up from the metropolis this week and is visiting relatives here.

The Trudgen family left for Bolinas last Wednesday morning for a week's outing.

Mrs. Jerome J. Hickey spent a few days this week visiting friends in the metropolis.

Vertie Frost and wife left Sunday for Guerneville where they will make their future home.

Miss Elizabeth Davis is here from Berkeley visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Hope.

Temple and Press Smith of Santa Rosa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Clewe Sunday.

Miss Bessie Eager of Oakland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Luce Jr.

Assistant Dist. Attorney Hoyle was in Glen Ellen Wednesday on official business.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Hoosear and Master Dick have returned from their outing in Santa Cruz.

Miss Emma Bill of Mill Valley is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bill.

Miss Mary O.Neil of San Francisco was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Valenza last Sunday.

The Duhring family returned from a week's sojourn in the metropolis last Tuesday evening.

Miss Stella Bill is home after spending four weeks with friends in Mill Valley and San Rafael.

Dr. and Mrs. Thos. Maclay of Petaluma took an auto trip to Sonoma and Reclamation Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Agnew has returned to her home in Oakland after visiting her sister, Mrs. J. J. Dunbar.

Mr. Joseph Kinley, a prominent attorney of San Francisco, was the guest of Jerome J. Hickey Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Stella and Elma Bill, accompanied by their cousin, Miss Emma Bill, drove over to Napa Tuesday.

Dep. County Assessor Mont. P. Akers of Schellville visited the county seat on official business Monday.

Mrs. Robert Poppe and Miss Emilie Poppe returned from Mill Valley Wednesday after an absence of several days.

The Kearnes' of Los Guilicos have gone to Salt Lake City, where they will join Senator Kearnes and remain several weeks.

Mrs. Wicker of San Francisco is here and is the guest of her brother and sister, Mr. Otto Rufus and Mrs. Louise Nichols.

Mrs. H. C. Lutgens, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. B. Small, Mr. and Mrs. John Wagnon attended the Odd Fellows banquet in Santa Rosa last Saturday evening.

Judge Thos. Denny left for a five-week's vacation Wednesday to the Alaska-Yukon Exposition and the Yellowstone Park. During his absence Judge Seawell will preside in both departments of the Superior Court.

E. S. Mathewson, a real estate man from Los Angeles, has been visiting his brother, Attorney H. P. Mathewson, during the past week. This is the first visit of Mr. Mathewson to the valley and he has expressed his belief in the promising future of land values here in cordial terms.

The engagement of Miss Mary Livernash and J. C. Ingalls of Healdsburg has been announced. Miss Livernash is a sister of Mrs. Frank Koenig of this place and ex-Congressman Livernash. The groom in prospective is the well-known Game Warden of this county and formerly City Marshal of Healdsburg.

A Treat for Theatre-Goers.

The Metropolitan Stock Company will give its third performance in Union Hall next Thursday evening. The play will be the comedy drama, "A Wife's Victory," and will no doubt draw a crowded house. This excellent theatrical company has "made good" on every occassion that it has appeared here, and next Thursday's performance will be no exception to the rule.

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Did He Have a Premonition of Death?

Anent the sudden passing of the late Walter B. Corbaley, we clip the folllowing from the Santa Rosa Press Democrat of the 27th inst:

Did Walter Corbaley have a premonition of his approaching death? It looks very much as if he believed that his end was near. On Saturday, his last day on earth, he came up from Berkeley to see his only child, Arthur, who has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Scammon for a number of years. Their home is near Sebastopol. He told Mr. Scammon that he felt that he must settle his affairs so that his estate would go to his son. He talked considerably about the matter and said he had better not delay it any longer. He stated that he thought he would arrange things so that his son would come into the property when he attianed the age of twenty-five. Mr. Scammon says that Mr. Corbaley appeared to be in the best of spirits, and while he had been ill he was feeling much better than he had been. Then with other friends, both in Sebastopol, he sat and talked over 'old times' and told many of them how glad he was to have the opportunity of seeing them.

COUNTY NEWS ITEMS

Thos. Munday and J. L. Winchester doove over from Petaluma on Sunnay last and visited Mr. Moore, an old time friend of Mr. Winchester, this being their first meeting for 53 years. Mr. Moore knew Mr. Winchester at a glance but Mr. Winchester did not recognize Mr. Moore at first. The meeting of the two pioneers after half a century was a pleasant one and they spent a delightful day together. Both have been residing in this vicinity but a few miles apart for many years, bnt neither knew it until a short time ago.

Geo. L. Borges was arrested on Friday of last week here by Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan on a warrant sworn out over a year ago before Justice King at Petaluma. He was taken to the county jail by Dep. Sheriff Don McIntosh of Santa Rosa. Bail was fixed at $200. Borges is accused by P. Slattery of Bloomfield with stealing his horse but Borges claims he was thrown from the animal which ran away and he could not be caught. He then settled for the horse by giving his note for $50.

The Men's League.

There will be a mass meeting of the Men's League at the M. E. Church Sunday evening. Robt. A. Poppe is the President of the League, which has a membership of forty.

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H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

KEEPING HIS BALANCE.

A Story With a Moral That Is Told Among the Tartars.

There is a story told among the Tartars which has a moral for the civilized men of the present day. It is to this effect: Robo, cousin of the great mogul, was condemned to death for participation in a rebellion. The most skillful swordsman in the empire was provided for the execution, and the great mogul and his court were present as spectators.

The thin, keen blade flashed in the sunlight and descended upon the bare neck of Robo, who stood upright to receive the stroke.

The executioner's work was so deftly done that, though the head was severed, not a vital organ was disturbed. Robo remained standing.

"What, Robo, art thou not beheaded?" exclaimed the great mogul.

"My lord, I am," replied Robo, "but as long as I keep my balance right my head will not fall off."

The great mogul was placated. A band was put on Robo's neck, and he recovered. He afterward became a loyal subject and was made cashier of the empire because, as the great mogul remarked:

"He knows that if he keeps his balance right his head will not come off."—Exchange.

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Float a Magnetized Sewing Needle In a Bowl of Water.

If a thoroughly dry and clean sewing needle is carefully laid on the surface of water in a basin the needle will float in spite of the high density of steel—seven or eight times that of water. On close inspection it is found that the surface of the water is depressed under the needle, much as if there were a thin film stretched over the water and slightly indented by the weight of the needle.

This property of liquids of offering a certain resistance to a force exerted upon their surface is termed "surface tension." The magnitude of the force of surface tension varies from one liquid to another. It is greatest in the case of mercury. The cause of the phenomenon must probably be looked for in the attraction of the liquid molecules to one another.

A sewing needle thus floating upon water may be used as a compass if it has previously been magnetized. It will then point north and south and will maintain this position if the containing vessel is moved about. If the needle is displaced by force it will return to its position along the magnetic meridian as soon as the restraint is removed.—Chicago Tribune.

Locating a Broken Wire.

When a telegraph wire is broken or damaged, say, several hundred miles away, how does the operator, sitting in his office, know exactly where the accident occurred?

The explanation is simple. It requires, as every one knows, considerable force to send electricity through a wire. The longer the wire the greater, of course, must be the force required. This force is measured in units called by electricians "ohms." Let us suppose that a wire between a New York office and a point 150 miles away has broken somewhere. The telegrapher knows that when the wire was intact there were required, say, 2,100 ohms to facilitate the current, or fourteen ohms to the mile. He now finds that he can send a current with only 700 ohms. Dividing 700 by 14, he finds that the break in the wire is fifty miles from his end.—New York Tribune.

Foresight.

Little George, who was four years old, had been told many Bible stories. Among them was the story of the flood and the building of the ark by Noah. One day a storm threatened. The clouds grew darker, the wind arose, and suddenly the rain began to fall.

"Auntie," said George, "do you think it is going to storm?"

"Yes, I think it will," was the reply.

"Do you think it will be a hard storm?" asked the little fellow.

"Yes, I think it will be a hard storm," the aunt replied.

"Well, don't you think some of us had better begin building an ark?" he asked.—Los Angeles Times.

The Man and the Mummy.

"This," said the guide who was piloting a bunch of tourists through Egypt as he pointed to a mummy, "was a high priest, the wisest man of his day. He lived to a great age."

"Was his last illness fatal?" queried the wag of the bunch.

"Of course it was," answered the guide, with a look of pity at the other.

"That's queer," rejoined the waggish person. "His present appearance would seem to indicate that he was permanently cured."—Chicago News.

Too Big a Price.

Does the pursuit of wealth cut the American man of business off from the old fashioned relish of books and society? In other words, is he paying too big oradisproportionate a price in time and strength for wealth and commercial prominence? My answer would be "Yes" beyond question.—A. Barton Hepburn in Century.

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Little minds are too much wounded by little things; great minds see all and are not even hurt.—La Rochefoucauld.

Pronunciation.

Dr Johnson would not have consented to pronounce "wind" differently in prose and in verse. He insisted upon making the "i" long always. The story goes that, in order to crush somebody who preferred the short "i" in ordinary conversation, Johnson, rhyming all three words with "tinned," remarked, "I cannot find it in my mind to call it wind, but"—rhyming all three words with "blind"—"I can find it in my mind to call it wind." But his adversary got the better of him. Johnson himself always pronounced "gold" as "goold." "If I may be so boold," said the other, "I should like to be toold why you call it goold."

The Pitt Diamond.

While Pitt, the grandfather of Lord Chatham, was governor of Fort St. George in 1698 he became acquainted with a jewel merchant named Jamchund, who brought a diamond of great size for sale. He asked £30,000 for it in the rough. It should, of course, have been bought on behalf of the company, but Pitt, seeing money in it, could not resist the temptation of making a private bargain. He became the possessor of the stone for the sum of £20,400, and he was quite satisfied that he had behaved honorably when he paid the man, who on his part was also content. But the diamond was known to be worth more than Jamchund had received, and the transaction gave rise to a good deal of gossip, which in no way decreased when later on Pitt had the stone cut in England and sold it to the regent of France for £135,000. Even that enormous sum did not represent its true value. The stone was set in the royal crown of France. It weighed 410 carats in the rough, but the cutting reduced it to 136 carats.—Mrs. Penney's "Fort St. George, Madras."

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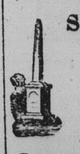

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